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EXAMINING GROUP 2163**

**PATENT**  
**5760-12400/VRTS0391**



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**RESPONSE TO FINAL ACTION OF JUNE 13, 2006**

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**Dear Sir:**

This paper is submitted in response to the Final Action of June 13, 2006, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

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